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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Application No. : 10/603,958
Applicant(s) : Paul E. Baker et al.
Filed : 06/25/2003
Title : Method and Apparatus for Predicting the Result of a Coloration
TC/A.U. : 2125
Examiner : Sheela S. Rao
Conf. No. : 3079
Docket No. : CM2679M
Customer No. : 27752

1. [x] No additional fees (claims fees or extension fees) are known to be required.
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3. [x] The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated 01/19/2005 in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$120.00 for a 1-month extension of time.
4. The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-2480. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
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AMENDMENT AFTER 1ST OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111(c)

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Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action of January 19, 2005. Attached hereto is a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time and the fee required under 37 CFR § 1.17(a). Thus, timely response is provided up to and including May 19, 2005. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks contained herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.